WESTERN STATES RAISE OVER 862,000

North Central States Show Up Best Piret Day in 187 Cities, Exclusive of New York, Was \$3,200,256-\$100,000 680 Is Goal-Red Cross Boothe Main.

WASHINGTON, June 19 .- Early reports received at the Red Cross head suarters here from 137 cities, exclus ive of New York, show that \$3,203,256 was subscribed or pledged to the \$100,-000,000 war relief fund on the first day of the big drive.

The north central states made best showing with \$1,456,600. Five Western states stand fourth, with \$51,390 subscribed.

Fifteen bundred dollars was raised ong Afteen business men and firms

sides this, booths are being main tained at many points thruout the city lie then read a portion of the Darwin where individual memberships and donations are being taken.

The fifteen men and firms which cor tributed the \$100 each are as follows Polican Bay Cumber Co.

M. D. Mortenson M. A. Johnson J. W. Slemens Piret State and Savings allok H. R. Beamer First National Bank Ewayna Box Co. Martin Bros. K. K. K. Store Southern Oregon Auto Co. Golden Rule Van Riper Bros.

Red Cross beedquarters and information bureau will be maintained at the Commercial Club rooms this week. stative of the society will be ed there thruout the day and early evening to furnish data and supplies to the corps of workers now in

Sunset Greeny

Roberts & Whitmore

Cross to raise \$100,000,-00 to carry on its war activities, E. R. teams said:

The big necessity of the present lis to Snance the Red Cross so liberally as to give the chance to step into the a grand work of upbuilding and impiring our allies while our coldiers are being mobilised and

"And doing this, we are not merely rendering moral encouragement, but setual physical help to the fighting town for a while. armies of France. We are taking from the shoulders of an overburdened nation the task of helping these unfor-tunates. Thus we are increasing the man power of France at the very time when this counts most. We set then up in life so they can help themselves.

"This is not charity. Don't let any-body get that lides for a moment. It is debt paying. We owe all that and vastly more to the France that has oured out her blood for us. It is the ast we can do while our armies of ghting men are getting ready to serve in the trenches.

"A tremendous Russian problem con fronts the Red Cross. We have a debt o pay to Russia as well as to Franc tuation as regards the ameliorsion of suffering on the long Russian tattle line is deplorable. On the Thele 1,000 miles of front there are Carter of Springfield, Mo., against only 6,000 amubiances, whereas in whom a warrant stands on a charge of france, on a front of 400 miles, there are degree murder issued in connecting of the connection of the shed to Russia. There are prob- and death of the baby, Lioyd Keet. m of encouragement and of material their way as await us in France. We that Russia is in the threes of revolu

. CABBAGE CIGARS ARE REALITY IN GERMANY

COPENHAGEN, June 19.-The . venerable jokes about cabbage and hay cigars have become a sad 4 • reality in Germany, on account • of the high cost of tobacco. The . mokers are using a mixture of • hay, cabbage, strawberry leaves • and sandal wood.

MEETING HELD TO

SOCIALISTS DENY THAT "FREE LOVE" AND "DARWIN THEORY" IN PLATFORM - ISSUE TAKEN WITH MRS. O'HARE

The first meeting to organize the socialist party in Klamath county was the Crescent school election yesterday. held last night at the opera house, according to announcement of the introductory speaker, who spoke previous men under arrest. He did not bring to Mrs. Kate O'Hare, who later ad- them to the city, dressed a large audience.

The introductory speaker took up supposed charges against the socialists trict. -as "free love" and "support of the during the general moles. Darwin theory," which he disclaimed and denied are in the party platform, the district attorney's office. theory, pointing out that it is "the" theory taught in high schools and colleges, ridiculing the theory.

Mrs. O'Hare also took up supposed charges against the party. She then it cate "a few munition makers," and have not yet been awarded. "the capitalist system." She absolved ers and "weak-kneed Christians," the one. "system," and others to blame,

She said the socialists have no inter est in the war.

Mrs. O'Hare struck at conscription in a round-about manner. She upheld "strong socialization," or centralized corporation methods as used by Ger many, pointing out that there is found the best example of "socialization"

She asked that she be not criticised after leaving. New phases of a few of the many questions she touched on were introduced when Wm. Weeks of this city, questioned a number of her statements, and disagreed with her on

OREGON TOWN NEARLY CONSUMED BY FIRE

CORVALLIS, June 19.—About thirty stores and residences, comprising twothirds of the town of Alpine, were destroyed today by are.

Three business buildings have burn ed and others are damaged.

The fire is believed to have been in cendiary. It threatened the entire

MAN WANTED ON CHARGE OF FIRST DEGREE MURDER IN THE KEET BABY CASE IS TAKEN, AC-CORDING TO POLICE

HUTCHINSON, Kans., June 19-The liances. Succor must tion with the mysterious disapp

id confronting us there as great in time. It is especially necessary no at be up and doing—all of us, every tionary aftermath. I am firmly con American. Our thought is to go vinced that the Russian democracy can be relief on to keep its head, to maintain what it has snatched from very pressing there, as the cuptry must understand by this beined quickly.

VIRTUAL PRISONER

SOUTHERN PROVINCES ARE RAP IDLY MAKING WARLIKE PREP ARATIONS AND OTHERS ARE SAYS \$50,000,000 TAKEN IN FIVE JOINING THEM

PEKIN, June 19.-The southern pro inces are rapidly making warlike preparations, and are assured that oth provinces will toin them. A civil war in China is not improb

President Li Yuan Hung is virtually a prisoner. General Chang Sun has as sumed the powers of dictator.

CRESCENT SCHOOL ELECTION HELD WITH FIREWORKS

Deputy Sheriff P. E. Streit and J. K. Jolly of Crescent arrived in the city Deputy Sheriff Streit reported at the sheriff's office that he had placed four

The trouble seems to be untion of former troubles in that dis-Blows were struck yesterday

Sheric Humphrey referred

RAILROAD BIDS ARE OPENED; NO CONTRACT YET

N II. Bogue, engineer for Robt. E Strahorn, announced this afternoon took up in a clever manner numerous that the contracts for the grading of points and phases of the war, blaming the railroad from this city to Dairy

Mr. Bogue opened the bids vesterday. the socialist party from any blame or of which there are five or six, and has part in it, stating that the party tried been working on them since. He is KLAMATH COUNTY HAS ONE to prevent it; and held munition mak-thoroly canvassing and checking each OF TWO ELK PRESER

FOUR CANDIDATES IN FIELD FOR SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION HELD THIS CITY YESTERDAY. EVANS WITHDREW

held yesterday, C. C. Hogue and C. H. Underwood being elected members of

the board. Chilcote and Dr. Geo. H. Merryman. has sent word he can come now, but in Eagles' hall by the Grand Army, We-Percy Evans, who had announced his

candidacy, withdrew his name Following the election the board or ganized. The results were as follows:

C. C. Hogue C. H. Underwood E. M. Chilcote . Dr Geo. H. Merryman

O. A. C. OPENING POSTPONED TO OCT. 8

CORVALLIS, June 18.—In order that men and women students of the Oregon Agricultural College may help gather the crops this autumn, the op ening of college has been postponed until October 8th. Usually school opens early in September.

THE MORE OF THESE

CHINA PRESIDENT HOOVER EXPOSES FOOD JUGGLERS

MONTHS

Telle Senators That Allies Depend on vided, and That United States May Find Herself Alone Against Germany-Not Given Distator's Powers.

WASHINGTON, June 19.- Food lators have been taking \$50,000,-000 a month for the past five months, a total of a quarter of a billion dollars this morning with reports of trouble at from the American people, Herbert C. Hoover told the senate today in ex plaining the purpose of the food con troi bill now before congress.

ministrator, said that the allies are dependent upon North America for a vast majority of their food imports.

He said, without food the allies will be unable to fight, and we shall find ourselves alone against Germany un less food is sent to them.

Hoover said the Russan revolution was a food riot. Hoover discinimed entirely that the

food control will sets up a food dictatorship. He told the senator that its purpose is to organize the country's res and the people into the administration of food to limit the middleman's commission and to prevent

OF TWO ELK PRESERVES

PORTLAND, Same 19 .- The Orego Fish and Game commission is taking steps to establish an elk preserve near Silverton. The state at present owns two elk preserves, one in Klamath county and the other in Wallows coun ty. About seventy-five elk run in the

WATT SCOUTING FOR A FIRST BASEMAN NOW

Thompson, first baseman of the Redding ball club has been approached reparding a position of the Klamath him shortly. Manager Watt was pleased with Downey's work behind the plate Sunday, and has decided to keep him there.

Sam Jolly, a catcher of Stockton, The other candidates were E. M. who was unable to come last week, kane. Tonight a reception will be held Watt will try out Downey.

Information received fro says that a special train will be run to the G. A. R. v the game Sunday from McCloud for the game, and that hotel reservations are being made there for people from as far south as Redding and Kennett.

Part of the local team will leave Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock and the others Saturday night. Watt is particularly anxious to win this game, the last ball be played was at Si

BURGESS REAPPOINTED

registrar of the land office at Lakeview. nected with the railroad me

SIMS IS SENIOR **ALLIED OFFICER**

PLACED IN CHARGE OF FLEET IN IRISH WATERS DURING THE AB-SENCE OF BRITISH COMMANDER ON OFFICIAL DUTY

LONDON, June 19.-Vice Admira William Sime. U. S. N., has been appointed to take general charge of the allied naval forces in Irish waters while the British naval con absent from his post for a period, ac cording to an official an Admiral Sims' flag has been boisted

Social Leader Is Active War Worker

as the allied senior officer.



Mrs. John Astor, first wife of John acob Astor, who spends most of her time in London, has been busy with charitable work in helping British sol-diers. This is the first photograph of Heine and the president was obliged her taken in some years, in fact, since wreck of the Titanic.

G. A. R. in Session public, was called to order in the ment Commander J. E. Gandy of Spomen's Relief Corps, Daughters of Veterans, Sons of Veterans and Ladies of

THIRTIETH CONVENTION OF TRAIN DISPATCHERS SHELD

FRESNO, Calif., June 19 .- The thirieth annual convention of the Train Disptachers Association of America be gan here this morning when 300 de gates fro mall parts of the country met for the first of their four days' see-LAND OFFICE REGISTRAR sions. Many of the delegates brought members of their families with them WASHINGTON, June 19.—President so that the total of visitors has been Wilson has appointed James Burgess swelled to more than 800 persons con

AUSTRIAN CARINET IS REPORTED RESIGNED

BASEL, Switzerland, June 19. A Austrian cabinet has re-************

OFFERED MEXICO

EXTRA EDITION OF CARRANZA PAPER ANNOUNCES LOAN II MEXICO WILL HELP ALLIES-18 NOT BELIEVED OFFICIAL

SAN ANTONIO, June 19 .- The La ing a telegram from El Universal, Mer ico City, which said that France has offered to lend Mexico 20,000,000 peace if Mexico will participate in the war on the side of the allies.

There is no official tone to the tale

MANS HANGED

STATEMENT OF PAN-GERMANIST THREE BABY ELK HAVE HEINE THAT "ALL OUGHT TO BE HANGED" PRECIPITATES RIOT IN VIENNA REICHSTRATH

Deszinski declared in the Vienna z strath that goer \$0,000 Poles have hanged by order of the Germans.

According to the Vienna Arbe Seitung, Pan-Germanist Heine dec that the Germans has not used rope enough. "They all ought to be hanged,"

The Slay-Polish member suspend the sitting of the body in the midst of a tremendous uproar.

KLAMATH FALLS BAND IN CONCERT TOMORROW

publicly in patriotic, Red Cross, Fine W. H. McLaughlin, director, is a

feeting a splendid organization

ROBEBURG COUNCIL

ROSEBURG. June 19 .- For the ex sed purpose of giving the people and to play national airs for any patriotic organization desiring mus

Chas. Long was a visitor in town the first of the week.

THE FEWER OF THESE

TWO DAYS OUT FROM FRA WHEN SUNK

Charge of Veccel.

NEW YORK, June 18. sank the Standard Oil tank John D. Archbold, in Burepon Saturday. The crew is h The Archbold was armed wi

The tanker was two days out, on

WASHINGTON, June 18.—State

ARRIVED IN KLAMATH

Word brought from the ells pusses states that three bely elk have be born since the Klamath's bird of the

Five bakes are expected the present and much interest to their widows displayed by the spectation will be interested in the authorizing of the and their care.

DEPUTY BARBER EXAMINER VISITS LAKEVIEW SHOPS

. Swanson, doputy stat nor, in in Lakeview he inations there and in nearly aday and this week for the tion of barbers on sanitary, is orning barber shops, and for th g or revoking of the

PLANS MADE FOR JULY SA CROWDS

PROVIDES PATRIOTIC MUSIC start made last night to ordinance to prepare for ion crowds exp

THE RED CROSS MUST HAVE \$100,000,000.00

To Save Lives of Soldiers and Care For Dependents at Home

OREGON'S SHARE IS \$600,000.00